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IN ASSEMBLY

March 23, 2023

Introduced by M. of A. ROZIC, CLARK -- read once and referred to the Committee on Aging

AN ACT to amend the elder law, in relation to the naturally occurring retirement community supportive service program

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Section 1. Subparagraph 4 of paragraph (f) of subdivision 1 of section 209 of the elder law, as added by section 1 of part S of chapter 59 of the laws of 2016, is amended and a new subdivision 9 is added to read as follows:

- (4) is made up of low-rise buildings six stories or less and/or single and multi-family homes, provided, however, that apartment buildings and housing complexes, including those that exceed six stories, may be included [in rural areas].
- 9. In the event that a classic or neighborhood NORC is no longer fund-10 ed under this section, the director shall, to the best of the director's ability, provide information about nearby services available to older 11 adults who currently live in such classic or neighborhood NORC. 12
- § 2. Paragraph (n) of subdivision 4 of section 209 of the elder law, 14 as amended by section 1 of part S of chapter 59 of the laws of 2016, is amended to read as follows:
- (n) the circumstances under which the director may waive all or part 16 of the requirement for provision of an equal amount of funding from 17 other sources required pursuant to paragraph (m) of this subdivision, 18 provided that such criteria shall include provision for waiver at the 19 20 discretion of the director upon a finding by the director that the 21 program will serve a low income or hardship community, and that such 22 waiver is required to assure that such community receive a fair share of
- the funding available. The [committee] director shall develop appropri-23 24 ate criteria for determining whether a community is a low income or
- 25 hardship community;

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§ 3. This act shall take effect immediately.

EXPLANATION -- Matter in italics (underscored) is new; matter in brackets [-] is old law to be omitted.

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